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A18	<u>1956946</u>	May., 1934	Duffy.
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A22	<u>2326461</u>	Aug., 1943	Howe.
A23	<u>2411658</u>	Nov., 1946	La Rue.
A24	<u>2452169</u>	Oct., 1948	Wells.
A25	<u>2470869</u>	May., 1949	Schmidt.
A26	<u>2512473</u>	Jun., 1950	Alch.
A27	<u>2522642</u>	Sep., 1950	Schmidt.

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<u>A30</u>	<u>2558465</u>	Jun., 1951	Seymour.
<u>A31</u>	<u>2568622</u>	Sep., 1951	Hagan.
<u>A32</u>	<u>2579924</u>	Dec., 1951	Krasney.
<u>A33</u>	<u>2583247</u>	Jan., 1952	Aja et al.
<u>A34</u>	<u>2621710</u>	Dec., 1952	Miller.
<u>A35</u>	<u>2647562</u>	Aug., 1953	Hoffar.
<u>A36</u>	<u>2661792</u>	Dec., 1953	Lysaght.
<u>A37</u>	<u>2670031</u>	Feb., 1954	Melges.
<u>A38</u>	<u>2689158</u>	Sep., 1954	Mahr.
<u>A39</u>	<u>2690210</u>	Sep., 1954	Holick.
<u>A40</u>	<u>2717028</u>	Sep., 1955	Villemune.
<u>A41</u>	<u>2717631</u>	Sep., 1955	Howe.
<u>A42</u>	<u>2722971</u>	Nov., 1955	Gallagher et al.
<u>A43</u>	<u>2748837</u>	Jun., 1956	Beller.
<u>A44</u>	<u>2752987</u>	Jul., 1956	Smithers.
<u>A45</u>	<u>2756082</u>	Jul., 1956	Pucci.
<u>A46</u>	<u>2766812</u>	Oct., 1956	Schrader.
<u>A47</u>	<u>2771937</u>	Nov., 1956	Wilson.
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<u>A49</u>	<u>2788059</u>	Apr., 1957	Mackintosh.
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<u>A52</u>	<u>2811197</u>	Oct., 1957	Nimmo.
<u>A53</u>	<u>2811400</u>	Oct., 1957	James.
<u>A54</u>	<u>2825390</u>	Mar., 1958	Post.
<u>A55</u>	<u>2831688</u>	Apr., 1958	Knox.
<u>A56</u>	<u>2837141</u>	Jun., 1958	Shore.
<u>A57</u>	<u>2849053</u>	Aug., 1958	Beller et al.
<u>A58</u>	<u>2878589</u>	Mar., 1959	Howe et al.
<u>A59</u>	<u>2936820</u>	May., 1960	Blink et al.

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	<u>A61</u>	<u>2959209</u>	Nov., 1960	Lakin.
	<u>A62</u>	<u>2964368</u>	Dec., 1960	Heyer.
	<u>A63</u>	<u>2978754</u>	Apr., 1961	Wilson.
	<u>A64</u>	<u>2983308</u>	May., 1961	Horowitz.
	<u>A65</u>	<u>2992043</u>	Jul., 1961	Nelson.
	<u>A66</u>	<u>2999729</u>	Sep., 1961	Semmelroth.
	<u>A67</u>	<u>3025120</u>	Mar., 1962	Howe.
	<u>A68</u>	<u>3027209</u>	Mar., 1962	Nielsen.
	<u>A69</u>	<u>3030728</u>	Apr., 1962	Wesman.
	<u>A70</u>	<u>3041775</u>	Jul., 1962	Brown, Jr. et al.
	<u>A71</u>	<u>3079197</u>	Feb., 1963	Mugler.
	<u>A72</u>	<u>3080193</u>	Mar., 1963	Nimmo.
	<u>A73</u>	<u>3093924</u>	Jun., 1963	Pompa.
	<u>A74</u>	<u>3096866</u>	Jul., 1963	Glass.
	<u>A75</u>	<u>3101062</u>	Aug., 1963	Kanzelberger.
	<u>A76</u>	<u>3112954</u>	Dec., 1963	Kanitz.
	<u>A77</u>	<u>3141424</u>	Jul., 1964	Seymour.
	<u>A78</u>	<u>3143982</u>	Aug., 1964	Blink et al.
	<u>A79</u>	<u>3144236</u>	Aug., 1964	Clanin.
	<u>A80</u>	<u>3166029</u>	Jan., 1965	Acton.
	<u>A81</u>	<u>3174796</u>	Mar., 1965	Brown.
	<u>A82</u>	<u>3191991</u>	Jun., 1965	Anderson et al.
	<u>A83</u>	<u>3256037</u>	Jun., 1966	Giambalvo.
	<u>A84</u>	<u>3259426</u>	Jul., 1966	Shaw et al.
	<u>A85</u>	<u>3267886</u>	Aug., 1966	Glass.
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	<u>A87</u>	<u>3276815</u>	Oct., 1966	Cardy.
	<u>A88</u>	<u>3337262</u>	Aug., 1967	Katzfey et al.
	<u>A89</u>	<u>3349728</u>	Oct., 1967	Barecki et al.
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<u> </u> A94	<u>3439634</u>	Apr., 1969	Bender.
<u> </u> A95	<u>3545738</u>	Dec., 1970	Stagg.
<u> </u> A96	<u>3574393</u>	Apr., 1971	Hughes.
<u> </u> A97	<u>3580632</u>	May., 1971	Seymour.
<u> </u> A98	<u>3650560</u>	Mar., 1972	Wohlk.
<u> </u> A99	<u>3672719</u>	Jun., 1972	Haukedahl.
<u> </u> A100	<u>3692358</u>	Sep., 1972	Sung.
<u> </u> A101	<u>3731971</u>	May., 1973	Siogren.
<u> </u> A102	<u>3762626</u>	Oct., 1973	Dorsey.
<u> </u> A103	<u>3765719</u>	Oct., 1973	Silver.
<u> </u> A104	<u>3769920</u>	Nov., 1973	Weiss.
<u> </u> A105	<u>3788696</u>	Jan., 1974	Loewen.
<u> </u> A106	<u>3797884</u>	Mar., 1974	Gutierrez.
<u> </u> A107	<u>3857343</u>	Dec., 1974	Greenberg.
<u> </u> A108	<u>3885829</u>	May., 1975	Haeger.
<u> </u> A109	<u>3893400</u>	Jul., 1975	Grant.
<u> </u> A110	<u>3905478</u>	Sep., 1975	Peterson et al.
<u> </u> A111	<u>3922408</u>	Nov., 1975	Smith.
<u> </u> A112	<u>3960354</u>	Jun., 1976	Simikoski.
<u> </u> A113	<u>3994527</u>	Nov., 1976	Nikitits et al.
<u> </u> A114	<u>4040658</u>	Aug., 1977	Mayol.
<u> </u> A115	<u>4043277</u>	Aug., 1977	Wallace.
<u> </u> A116	<u>4047754</u>	Sep., 1977	Cathey.
<u> </u> A117	<u>4052100</u>	Oct., 1977	Nikitits et al.
<u> </u> A118	<u>4060275</u>	Nov., 1977	Hansen.
<u> </u> A119	<u>4064812</u>	Dec., 1977	Commanda.
<u> </u> A120	<u>4064815</u>	Dec., 1977	Baum.
<u> </u> A121	<u>4070057</u>	Jan., 1978	Jones.
<u> </u> A122	<u>4072231</u>	Feb., 1978	Helms.
<u> </u> A123	<u>4111482</u>	Sep., 1978	Jones.

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	A125	<u>4157089</u>	Jun., 1979	Loughrey.
	A126	<u>4191111</u>	Mar., 1980	Emmert.
	A127	<u>RE30274</u>	May., 1980	Bolon et al.
	A128	<u>4249773</u>	Feb., 1981	Giambalvo.
	A129	<u>4289350</u>	Sep., 1981	Thomas et al.
	A130	<u>4330151</u>	May., 1982	Healey.
	A131	<u>4382627</u>	May., 1983	Dean.
	A132	<u>4415199</u>	Nov., 1983	Wright.
	A133	<u>4438603</u>	Mar., 1984	Durkan, Jr.
	A134	<u>4462636</u>	Jul., 1984	Markson.
	A135	<u>4471969</u>	Sep., 1984	Zabala et al.
	A136	<u>4489661</u>	Dec., 1984	Fitzgerald.
	A137	<u>4537443</u>	Aug., 1985	Bray.
	A138	<u>4538526</u>	Sep., 1985	Seeley.
	A139	<u>4557200</u>	Dec., 1985	Geschwender.
	A140	<u>4572574</u>	Feb., 1986	Fishhaber et al.
	A141	<u>4596196</u>	Jun., 1986	Gunter et al.
	A142	<u>4606575</u>	Aug., 1986	Kodet.
	A143	<u>4648652</u>	Mar., 1987	Van Kuren.
	A144	<u>4653804</u>	Mar., 1987	Yoo et al.
	A145	<u>4700987</u>	Oct., 1987	Sraka et al.
	A146	<u>4740032</u>	Apr., 1988	Olsen et al.
	A147	<u>4744309</u>	May., 1988	Kiesel et al.
	A148	<u>4762321</u>	Aug., 1988	Chang.
	A149	<u>4815394</u>	Mar., 1989	Ettlinger et al.
	A150	<u>4817902</u>	Apr., 1989	Mason.
	A151	<u>4822066</u>	Apr., 1989	Rehrig.
	A152	<u>4826244</u>	May., 1989	Choi.
	A153	<u>4834450</u>	May., 1989	Stickler.
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A157	<u>4883314</u>	Nov., 1989	Sakong.
A158	<u>4903686</u>	Feb., 1990	Jennings.
A159	<u>4951576</u>	Aug., 1990	Cobos et al.
A160	<u>4960303</u>	Oct., 1990	York.
A161	<u>4998395</u>	Mar., 1991	Bezner.
A162	<u>5007673</u>	Apr., 1991	Cheng.
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A164	<u>5014628</u>	May., 1991	Roberts.
A165	<u>5018785</u>	May., 1991	Monson et al.
A166	<u>5029938</u>	Jul., 1991	Song.
A167	<u>5060902</u>	Oct., 1991	Hartman.
A168	<u>5070664</u>	Dec., 1991	Groh et al.
A169	<u>5109778</u>	May., 1992	Berkowitz et al.
A170	<u>5149575</u>	Sep., 1992	Soifer.
A171	<u>5208084</u>	May., 1993	Rutz.
A172	<u>5240307</u>	Aug., 1993	Jones et al.
A173	<u>5271338</u>	Dec., 1993	Bonham.
A174	<u>5279233</u>	Jan., 1994	Cox.
A175	<u>5284100</u>	Feb., 1994	Thorn.
A176	<u>5314231</u>	May., 1994	Otterbacher.
A177	<u>5323713</u>	Jun., 1994	Luyk et al.
A178	<u>5325793</u>	Jul., 1994	Martin.
A179	<u>5335594</u>	Aug., 1994	Karlyn et al.
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A181	<u>5357872</u>	Oct., 1994	Wilmore.
A182	<u>5377601</u>	Jan., 1995	Cashen.
A183	<u>5394808</u>	Mar., 1995	Dutro et al.
A184	<u>5409245</u>	Apr., 1995	Kern et al.
A185	<u>5411314</u>	May., 1995	Wallace.
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<u>A190</u>	<u>5488926</u>	Feb., 1996	Hunt.
<u>A191</u>	<u>5505142</u>	Apr., 1996	Fink.
<u>A192</u>	<u>5536552</u>	Jul., 1996	Scripsick.
<u>A193</u>	<u>5622120</u>	Apr., 1997	Yeh.
<u>A194</u>	<u>5623882</u>	Apr., 1997	Price.
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<u>A196</u>	<u>5638761</u>	Jun., 1997	Berkowitz et al.
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<u>A198</u>	<u>5694865</u>	Dec., 1997	Raab.
<u>A199</u>	<u>5730066</u>	Mar., 1998	Auten et al.
<u>A200</u>	<u>5732637</u>	Mar., 1998	Raab.
<u>A201</u>	<u>5860367</u>	Jan., 1999	Riegel et al.
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<u>A205</u>	<u>5921623</u>	Jul., 1999	Nye et al.
<u>A206</u>	<u>5947037</u>	Sep., 1999	Hornberger et al.
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<u>A213</u>	<u>6032585</u>	Mar., 2000	Pinch.
<u>A214</u>	<u>D423258</u>	Apr., 2000	Pinch.
<u>A215</u>	<u>6058853</u>	May., 2000	Pinch.
<u>A216</u>	<u>6076472</u>	Jun., 2000	Lloyd.
<u>A217</u>	<u>6086148</u>	Jul., 2000	Gatto et al.
<u>A218</u>	<u>6109687</u>	Aug., 2000	Nye et al.
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C2 Amended Complaint for: (1) Patent Infringement; and (2) Inducement of Patent Infringement; Demand for Jury Trial, 15 pages (including Exhibit A), August 6, 2002. *Lifetime Products, Inc. v. Alton Industries, Inc., et al.* Case No.: SACV 02-350 GLT (ANx), (CDCA).

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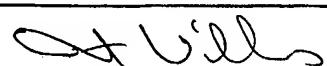
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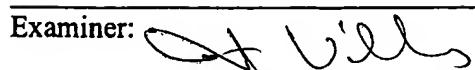
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